

## CHAPTER 90.

## OF FARM IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATIONS.

S. F. 274.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section sixteen hundred eighty-three-b (1683-b), of the supplement to the code, 1913, and to repeal section sixteen hundred eighty-three-k (1683-k) and section sixteen hundred eighty-three-l (1683-l), supplement to the code, 1913, and to enact a substitute therefor, relating to boards of supervisors granting aid to farm improvement associations, and repealing section sixteen hundred eighty-three-q (1683-q) supplement to the code, 1913.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Number of incorporators. That the law as it appears  
2 in section sixteen hundred eighty-three-b (1683-b) supplement to the  
3 code, 1913, is hereby amended by striking out from lines four and  
4 five of said section the words "each of the majority of the several  
5 townships of".

1 SEC. 2. Appropriation by board of supervisors. That sections  
2 sixteen hundred eighty-three-k (1683-k) and sixteen hundred eighty-  
3 three-l (1683-l) supplement to the code, 1913, are hereby repealed  
4 and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

5 Whenever the articles of incorporation have been filed as provided  
6 by this chapter and the secretary and treasurer of said corporation  
7 have certified to the board of supervisors that the said organization  
8 has among its membership at least two hundred farmers or farm  
9 owners in said county and that said organization has raised from  
10 among its members a yearly subscription of not less than five hundred  
11 dollars (\$500.00) the board of supervisors may, and they are hereby  
12 authorized to contribute to such organization a sum not to exceed  
13 twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00) per year, the same to be paid  
14 from the general fund of said county.

1 SEC. 3. Existing organizations. Nothing in this act shall be  
2 construed to affect the organization of associations heretofore or-  
3 ganized under this chapter.

1 SEC. 4. Limitation on aid. The only farm improvement associa-  
2 tions which shall be entitled to receive this county aid shall be such  
3 as are organized, so as to cooperate with the U. S. Department of  
4 Agriculture and the Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic  
5 Arts.

1 SEC. 5. Repeal. Section 1683-q, supplement to the code, 1913, is  
2 hereby repealed.

Approved March 28, A. D. 1917.

## CHAPTER 91.

## JUDICIAL DISTRICTS.

S. F. 24.

AN ACT to amend section two hundred twenty-seven (227) supplemental supplement to the code, 1915, by repealing lines fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of said section and enacting a substitute therefor, all relating to the division of the State into judicial districts and the election of judges:

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Seventh judicial district. That section two hun-  
2 dred twenty-seven (227) supplemental supplement to the code, 1915,  
3 be amended by striking from said section lines fifteen (15) and six-  
4 teen (16) thereof, and that said lines fifteen (15) and sixteen (16)  
5 are hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

6 SECTION 2. "The seventh district shall consist of the counties of  
7 Muscatine, Scott, Clinton and Jackson, and shall have five judges, who  
8 shall be so elected that each county shall have at least one resident  
9 judge."

This bill, having remained with the governor three days (Sunday excepted), the general assembly being in session, has become a law this 30th day of March, A. D. 1917.

W. S. ALLEN, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 92.

## RELIEF TO PARENTS OF RALPH SHERMAN.

S. F. 82.

AN ACT to indemnify and pay to E. O. Sherman and Mrs. E. O. Sherman the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the loss and damage sustained by him in the death of his son, Ralph Sherman, caused by being killed on the campus of the State College of Agriculture at Ames, December 6, 1914.

WHEREAS, Ralph Sherman of Buchanan county, Iowa, was a student at the State College at Ames, Iowa, and while lawfully upon the campus of such college was killed on December 6, 1914, by reason of the existence of a defective electrical condition of poles, wires and cables permitted to exist, THEREFORE:

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Appropriation. That there is hereby appropriated  
2 out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated,  
3 the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2000) for the payment in full of  
4 all damages sustained by E. O. Sherman and Mrs. E. O. Sherman on  
5 account of the death of Ralph Sherman while a student at the state  
6 college at Ames.

Approved March 31, A. D. 1917.